

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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HERMANN BUSS KG MS "ELBE TRADER"
GMBH & CO.,

08 Civ. 5309 (GBD)(AJP)

Plaintiff,

- against -

RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

T.S. LINES LTD.,

Defendant.
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Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure to enable judges and magistrate judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned attorney of record for the Plaintiff certifies that HERMANN BUSS KG MS "ELBE TRADER" GMBH & CO. is a private (non-governmental) entity, which is not owned by a publicly held corporation, and that Große Bleichen Schiffahrts Beteiligungs GmbH, Leer is an interested parent corporation.

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